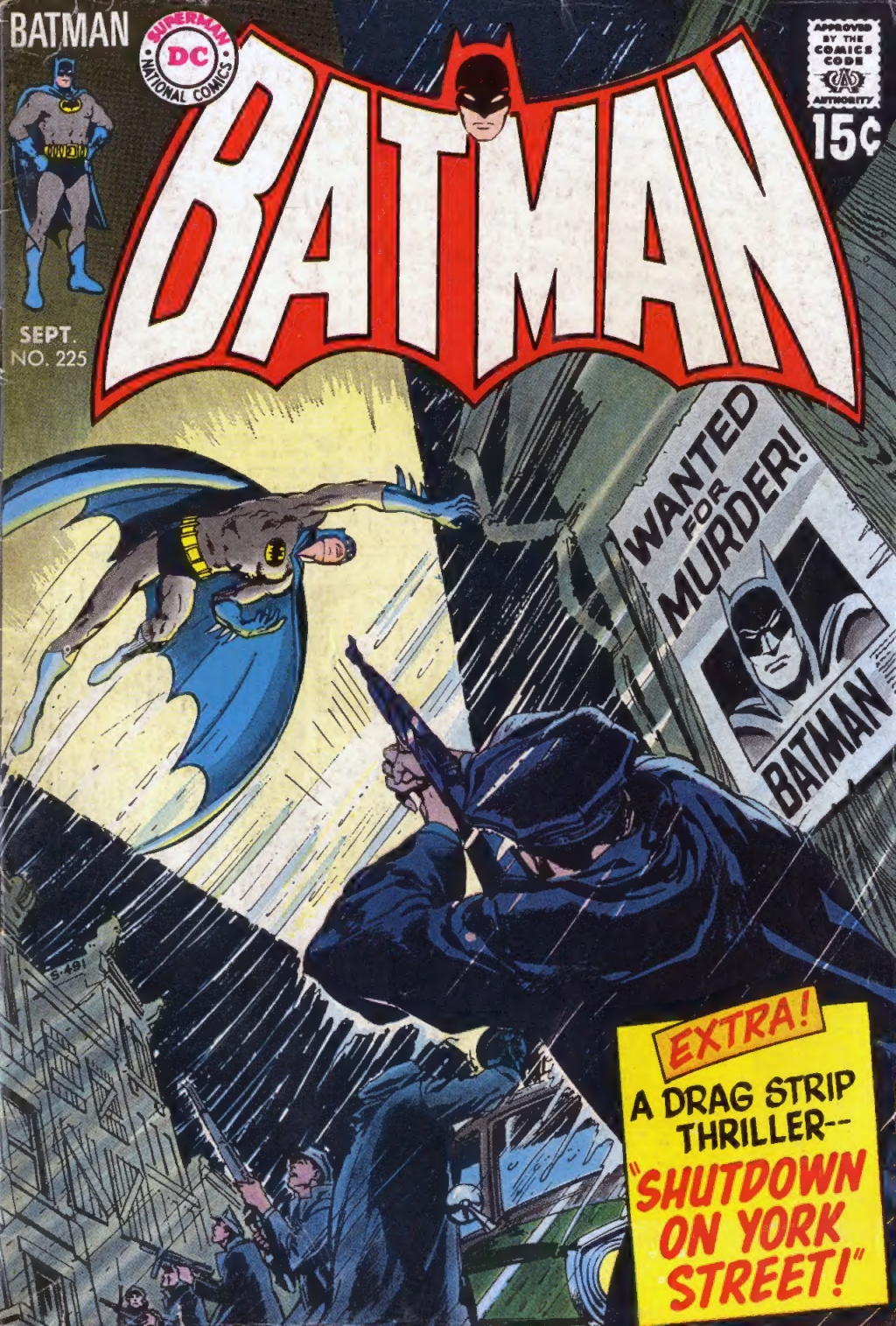
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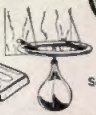
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...HIS FALSE TEETH HURT HIS GUMS...
...HIS WIG ITCHES HIS SCALP...
...AND HIS PADDED SHOULDERS WEIGH HEAVILY ON HIS BONY FRAME...
MAKE UP KIT
JONAH JORY IS A STAR... HIS TELEVISION TALK-SHOW HAS HUGE NIELSEN RATINGS--AND HE HAS ALMOST AS MANY ENEMIES AS VIEWERS...
JONAH JORY WGBC-TV
...NOT A NICE MAN, MR. JONAH JORY--
OH, ONE MORE THING--HE HATES THE BATMAN... WHY? WE'LL NEVER REALLY FIND OUT... BUT MAYBE IT'S BECAUSE THE COWLED CRUSADER IS ALL JORY ISN'T...
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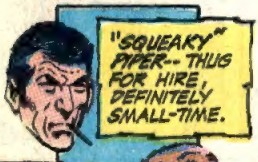
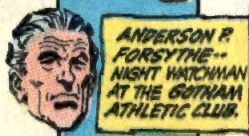
JONAH JORY--TV PERSONALITY WHO'S BUILT A REPUTATION ON NASTINESS.



"SQUEAKY" PIPER--THUG FOR HIRE, DEFINITELY SMALL-TIME.

SY SEMPLE--ANOTHER MINOR LEAGUE HOOD.



ANDERSON P. FORSYTHE--NIGHT WATCHMAN AT THE GOTHAM ATHLETIC CLUB.

ARTHUR REEVES--PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER.

THE KILLER.

TIME: 11:31 P.M.... THE STUDIOS OF WGBC-TV...
MY GUEST TONIGHT IS POLICE COMMISSIONER GORDON... YOU KNOW, THE BATMAN'S BUDDY!
FIRST QUESTION, COMMISH--HOW COME YOUR PAL WEARS A MASK? HE HAS MAYBE ACNE TROUBLE?
AND HOW ABOUT THOSE MUSCLES--LIKE A FREAK-OUT IN A BALLOON FACTORY!
BUT SERIOUSLY, GORDON--WHY DO YOU COVER UP FOR THAT TWO-BIT PUNK?
SLINKING AROUND IN THE DARK...HIDING BEHIND A HALLOWEEN SUIT--HE'S GOTTA BE A WRONG ONE!

YOU'RE MAYBE LOOKING FOR A HUSBAND FOR THAT MOUSEY DAUGHTER OF YOURS?.. OR MAYBE YOU GOT SOMETHING TO HIDE ?
YA KNOW, JORY'S RIGHT! NO DECENT FELLA'D COVER HIS FACE!
BALONEY! THE BATGUY'S A PRINCE AMONG MEN!
AND AFTER THE SHOW...
LOOKS LIKE I PUT A BURR UNDER HIS SADDLE!
HE PROBABLY WANTS TO PUT ONE UNDER YOURS, MR. JORY--
AND I'D BE HAPPY TO HELP!
TIME! 12:17 A.M.... THE GOTHAM ATHLETIC CLUB...
SEE THAT I'M NOT DISTURBED, FORSYTHE!
CHECK, MR. JORY!
GYM
POOR SAP.. HE'S BEEN WORKIN' OUT EVERY NIGHT FOR FIVE YEARS-- AND HE STILL HASN'T PUT ON ANY MUSCLE!
* NOTE: JORY'S TECHNICIANS HAVE BLIPPED OUT GORDON'S REPLY!
GYM
LOCKS THE DOOR 'CAUSE HE DOESN'T WANT ME TO SEE HIM WITHOUT HIS PADDING--
BLAM
HUH--? THAT SOUNDED LIKE A SHOT!
MR. JORY--!
BAM
NO ANSWER!... I'VE NO CHOICE! GOTTA BLAST MY WAY IN!
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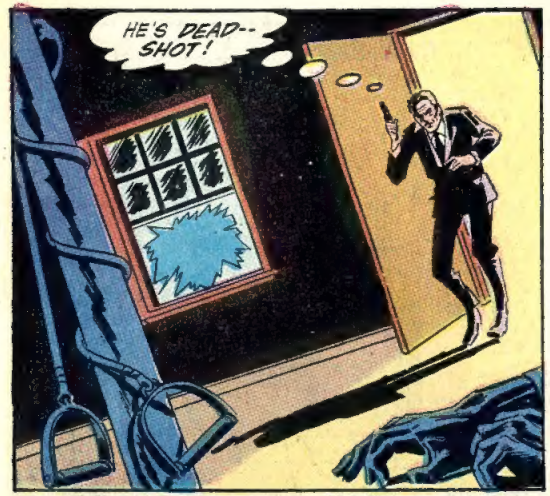
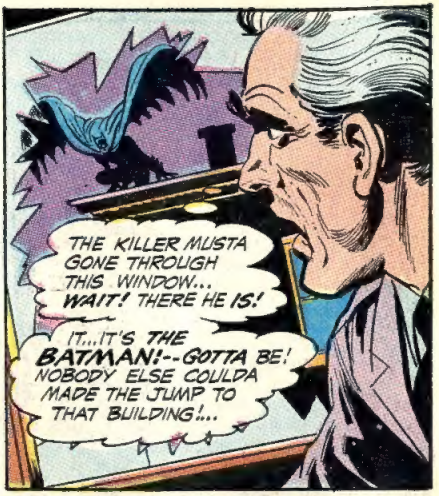
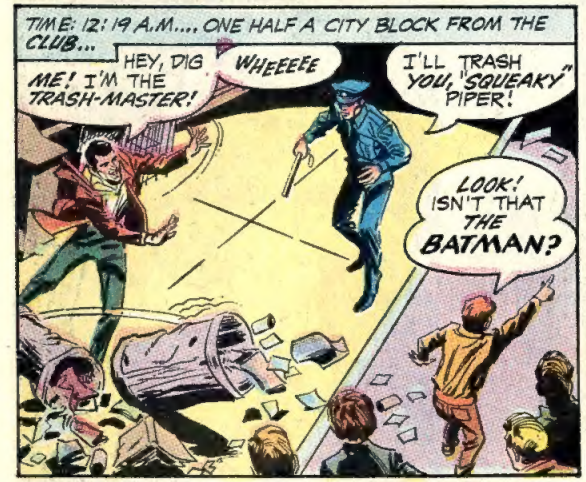

HE'S DEAD-- SHOT!


THE KILLER MUSTA GONE THROUGH THIS WINDOW... WAIT! THERE HE IS!
IT...IT'S THE BATMAN!--GOTTA BE! NOBODY ELSE COULDA MADE THE JUMP TO THAT BUILDING!...


TIME: 12:19 A.M.... ONE HALF A CITY BLOCK FROM THE CLUB...
HEY, DIG ME! I'M THE TRASH-MASTER!
WHEEEEE
I'LL TRASH YOU, "SQUEAKY" PIPER!
LOOK! ISN'T THAT THE BATMAN?

RIGHT-- OUT ON PATROL!

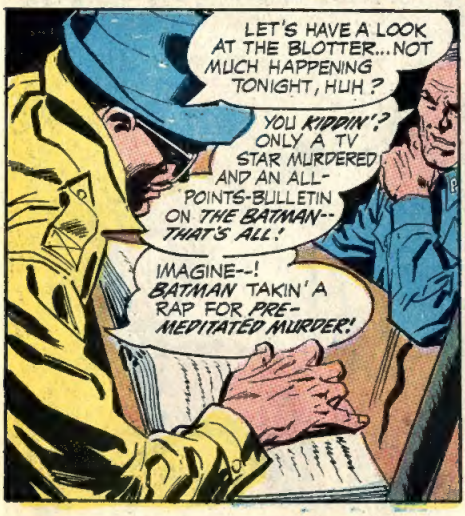
TIME: 12:45...THE CLUB...
YOU'RE SURE YOU SAW THE BATMAN?
DEAD SURE, COMMISSIONER GORDON!
IT DOESN'T MAKE SENSE! EVEN IF HE WOULD... KILL... HE WOULDN'T USE A GUN!
DON'T BE TOO SURE OF THAT, GORDON!

WHAT BRINGS OUR PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT HERE, REEVES?
JUST THIS! I GOT A CALL FROM A CLERK AT HYMAN'S GUN-SHOP--! HE SWEARS HE SOLD THE BATMAN A .38 SPECIAL LAST WEEK--
GYM

THAT MASKED MEDDLER CLAIMED HE WANTED THE WEAPON FOR BALLISTICS TESTS!
HAH! A LIKELY STORY!
JORY WAS KILLED WITH A .38... AND WE HAVEN'T FOUND IT ON THE PREMISES! SO I HAVE NO CHOICE...
PUT OUT A PICK-UP ORDER ON THE BATMAN! HE'S TO BE CONSIDERED ARMED... AND DANGEROUS! CHARGE HIM WITH MURDER-ONE!

TIME: 1:33 A.M... POLICE HEADQUARTERS...
GOTHAM CITY POLICE H.Q.

HIYA, SARGE! I'M HANDLEY, OF THE GAZETTE!
WHERE'S THE REGULAR NEWSHOUND-- SMITH?
HIS WIFE JUST HAD A KID--A BOY, 9 POUNDS! OL' SMITH'S AS PROUD AS A PEACOCK!
POLICE


LET'S HAVE A LOOK AT THE BLOTTER... NOT MUCH HAPPENING TONIGHT, HUH?
YOU KIDDIN'? ONLY A TV STAR MURDERED AND AN ALL-POINTS-BULLETIN ON THE BATMAN-- THAT'S ALL!
IMAGINE--! BATMAN TAKIN' A RAP FOR PRE-MEDITATED MURDER!

TIME: 1:42 A.M.... A NEARBY ALLEY...
THAT WAS TAKING A CHANCE... A LONG CHANCE..! BUT IT MAY HAVE PAID OFF!
I HAD TO GET A CLUE... I HAVE TOO MUCH RESPECT FOR THE FORCE TO THINK I'LL BE ABLE TO STAY ON THE DODGE FOR LONG!
I KNOW I'M INNOCENT... BUT APPARENTLY, I'M THE ONLY PERSON WHO DOES!

THERE WAS ONE POSSIBLE LEAD ON THE BLOTTER... IT COULD BE THE HINT I NEED...
IF IT ISN'T, I'M STOPPED-- COLD!
TIME: 2:02 A.M...A ROOM IN A WATER-FRONT HOTEL...
POLICE CONTINUE TO SEARCH FOR THE MYSTERIOUS BATMAN, BELIEVED TO BE CONNECTED WITH THE SLAYING OF JONAH JORY EARLY THIS MORNING--
NOK NOK
HUH--? WHOZZAT?
WH-WHAT'S THIS--? SOME KINDA CRUDDY GAG?
NO JOKE, "SQUEAKY" PIPER!--MY CALLING CARD!
TH...THE BATMAN! GIT 'WAY... I GOT NO BUSINESS WITH YOU!
WRONG! YOU HAVE INFORMATION-- AND I WANT IT... NOW!
I DON'T KNOW WHAT YER TALKIN' 'BOUT... AN' I DON'T WANNA KNOW!
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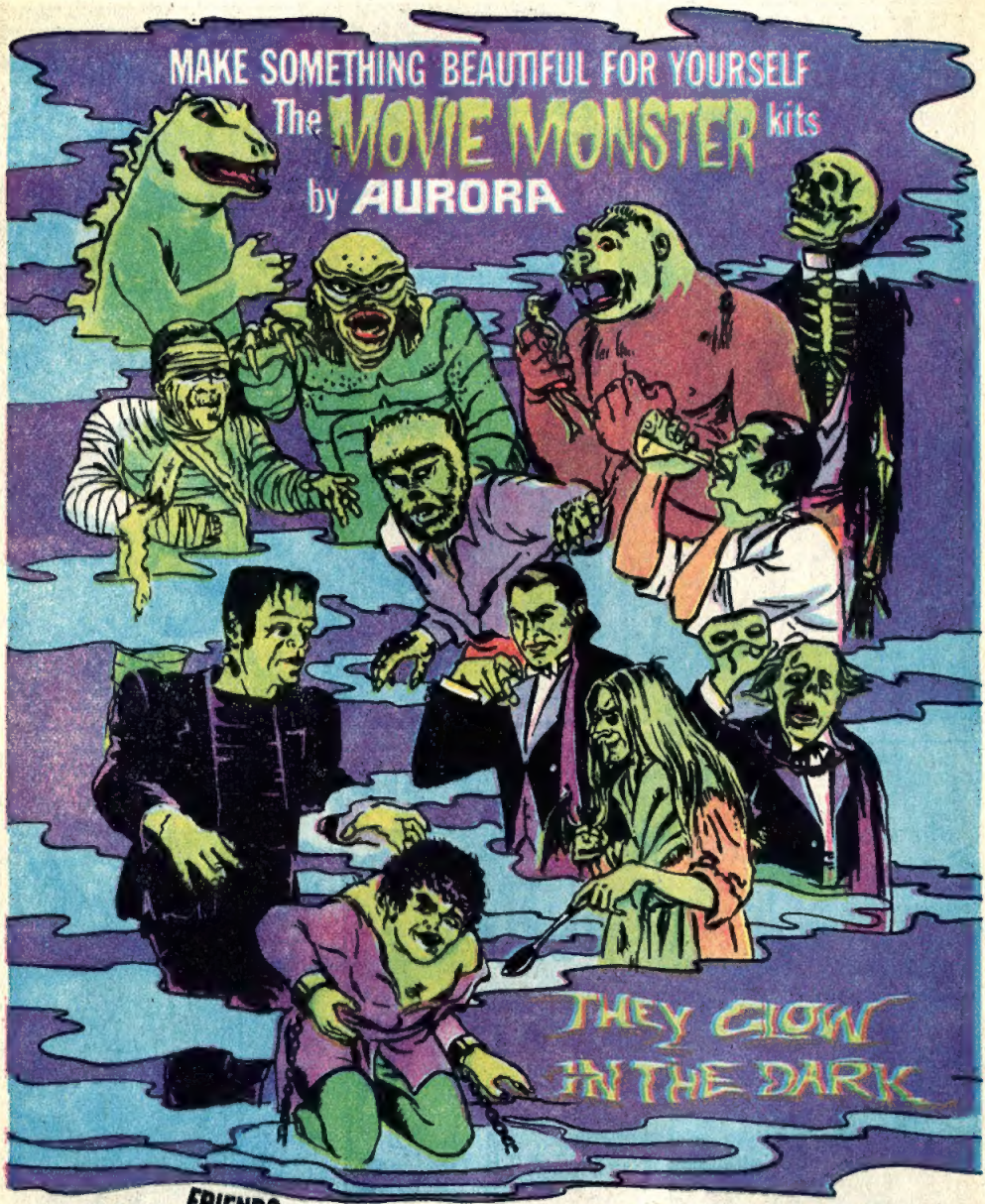

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KLUDD
--BECAUSE YOU JUST MIGHT MAKE ME MAD!
Y-YA CAN'T DO NOTHIN' TO ME... I GOT MY RIGHTS!
YOU FORGET... I'M HUNTED--AN OUTLAW! I'M LIKE YOU!
EITHER YOU COOPERATE--OR--
--OKAY! BUT DON'T HIT ME--
YOU WERE ARRESTED FOR DISTURBING THE PEACE... RELEASED ON BAIL! WHY?- WHY'D YOU COMMIT THAT STUPID CRIME...
...SO CLOSE TO THE SCENE OF JONAH JORY'S MURDER?--AND DON'T TRY TELLING ME IT WAS A COINCIDENCE!
A GUY CALLED ME UP.. OFFERED ME A GRAND.. THREW IN THE BAIL MONEY-- IF I RAISED A RUCKUS ON THAT CORNER--
GO AHEAD! TELL ME MORE!
I NEVER SEEN HIM... THE DOUGH ARRIVED BY MESSENGER...
HE AST ME IF I KNEW ANYBODY ELSE INTERESTED IN AN EASY JOB... I PUT HIM ONTO SY SEMPLE... A CON WHAT HANGS OUT AT EMMA'S PLACE!
AN THAT'S ALL--I SWEAR!
YOU'D BETTER NOT BE LYING... OR I'LL BE BACK!
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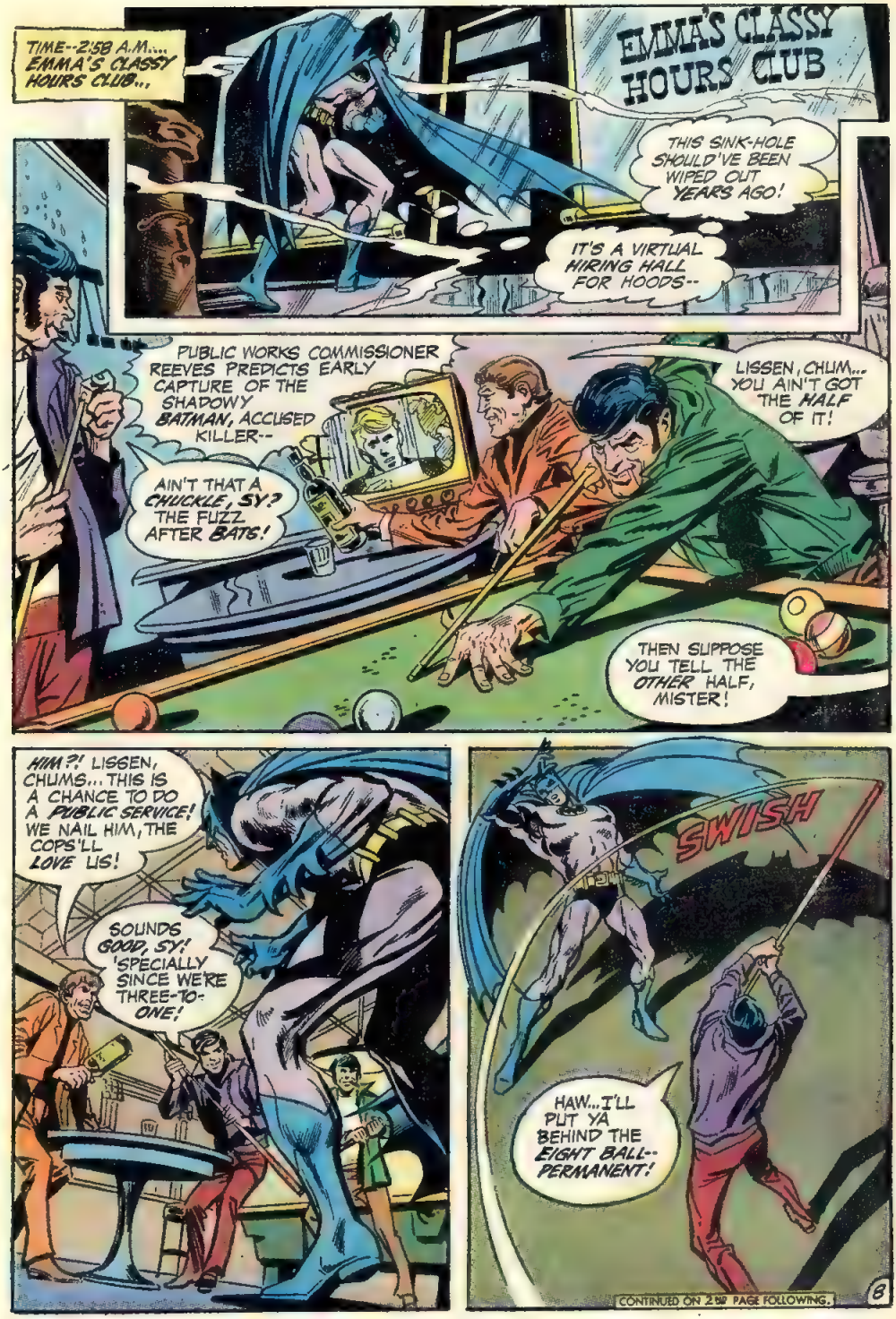
TIME--2:58 A.M.... EMMA'S CLASSY HOURS CLUB...
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THIS SINK-HOLE SHOULD'VE BEEN WIPED OUT YEARS AGO!
IT'S A VIRTUAL HIRING HALL FOR HOODS--
PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER REEVES PREDICTS EARLY CAPTURE OF THE SHADOWY BATMAN, ACCUSED KILLER--
AIN'T THAT A CHUCKLE, SY? THE FUZZ AFTER BATS!
LISSEN, CHUM... YOU AIN'T GOT THE HALF OF IT!
THEN SUPPOSE YOU TELL THE OTHER HALF, MISTER!
HIM?! LISSEN, CHUMS... THIS IS A CHANCE TO DO A PUBLIC SERVICE! WE NAIL HIM, THE COPS'LL LOVE US!
SOUNDS GOOD, SY! 'SPECIALLY SINCE WE'RE THREE-TO-ONE!
SWISH
HAW... I'LL PUT YA BEHIND THE EIGHT BALL-- PERMANENT!
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MY ARM--!
ONE DOWN...
THOK
UNN...
KLLAK
AND WE RUN THE TABLE--TWO DOWN!
FWOOP
YOU'RE NOT MUCH BETTER THAN YOUR BUDDY!
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SNAP
THE ODDS AREN'T SO GOOD ANYMORE, SEMPLE!
GOOD 'NUFF! I DON'T NEED NO HELP-- NEVER HAVE!
CHA-LINK
I'LL MAKE MINCEMEAT OF YA!
NO WAY! YOU'RE SCARED...
...AND PANIC INTERFERES WITH REFLEXES... FORCES A MAN TO BE HASTY...
...AND STUPID! --YOU'RE BEATEN, SEMPLE...
CHUFF

YOU'RE NO MORE THAN A JELLYFISH, SEMPLE!
SING, JELLYFISH! YOU DID A JOB LAST NIGHT... WHAT WAS IT? AND WHO HIRED YOU?
I DIDN'T SEE THE GUY! WE DID BUSINESS OVER THE PHONE!
HE PAID ME TO PUT ON A BATMAN OUTFIT AN' STAND ON A ROOFTOP...THEN TO MAKE SURE I WAS SEEN IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD!
THAT ISN'T ALL--
LAST WEEK, HE HAD ME BUY A GUN...DRESSED AS YOU! I LEFT THE ROD IN A BUS-STATION LOCKER...
YOU'LL HEAR FROM ME AGAIN! YOU'VE COMMITTED AT LEAST ONE FELONY--ILLEGAL DISPOSAL OF A FIREARM--
--AND FOR THAT, I'LL SEE YOU BEHIND BARS! COUNT ON IT!
I HAVE ALMOST ENOUGH PIECES TO ASSEMBLE A PICTURE--
I MUST GET A LOOK AT THE SCENE OF THE CRIME!
THE BATMAN DARES NOT SHOW HIS FACE...BUT FORTUNATELY, BRUCE WAYNE IS STILL A CITIZEN IN GOOD STANDING... AND HE BELONGS TO THE GOTHAM ATHLETIC CLUB!
ALTHOUGH THE BATMAN LACKS A SINGLE, VITAL CLUE, YOU DON'T! THE MYSTERY IS YOURS TO SOLVE... AHEAD OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST DETECTIVE!
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TIME: 4:01 A.M...THE GOTHAM ATHLETIC CLUB...
GORDON'S MEN ARE DOING FINE WORK! I CAN SPOT AT LEAST EIGHT PLAINCLOTHES DETECTIVES STAKING OUT THE AREA...
WITHOUT MY OWN POLICE TRAINING, I'D NEVER SEE THEM!
BIT EARLY FOR YOU, MR. WAYNE--OR IS IT LATE?
LATE, ANDY! I'VE JUST COME FROM ONE OF THOSE AWFUL PARTIES... TOO MUCH SMOKE, TOO MUCH FOOD AND DRINK, TOO MANY BEAUTIFUL WOMEN...
YEAH...MUST BE TOUGH, BEING A MILLIONAIRE SOCIALITE!
LOCKER ROOM
I'M GOING TO SWEAT MYSELF CLEAN IN THE STEAM BATH!
I'M IN LUCK! NOBODY AROUND...
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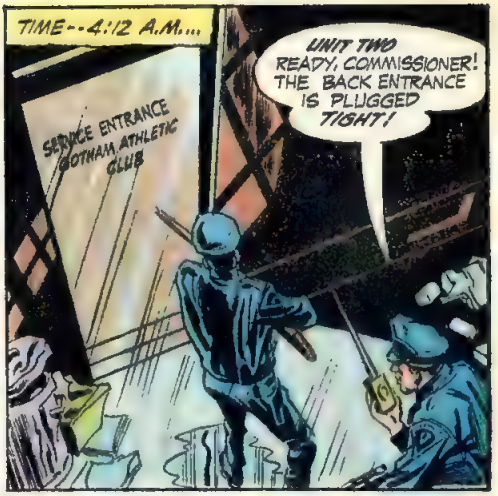
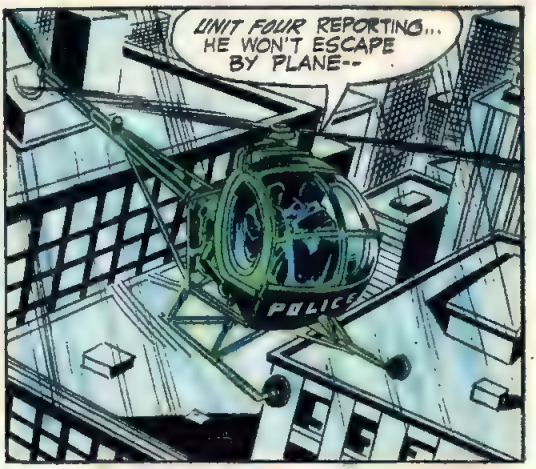
THE GYM IS ON THE TOP FLOOR...IT'LL BE GUARDED--BUT GORDON WON'T BE EXPECTING A VISIT FROM OUTSIDE--I HOPE!
TIME--4:11 A.M...THE ROOF OF A DEPARTMENT STORE ACROSS FROM THE ATHLETIC CLUB...
THERE HE IS!

NEVER FIGURED HE'D BE DUMB ENOUGH TO COME BACK!
GET ON THE HORN... PASS THE WORD TO CLOSE IN!


TIME--4:12 A.M...
SERVICE ENTRANCE GOTHAM ATHLETIC CLUB
UNIT TWO READY, COMMISSIONER! THE BACK ENTRANCE IS PLUGGED TIGHT!

UNIT THREE IN POSITION... WE HAVE THE WINDOW IN OUR SIGHTS!


UNIT FOUR REPORTING... HE WON'T ESCAPE BY PLANE--
POLICE

ALL SET, COMMISSIONER!
THEN... LET'S MOVE!
IF YOU'RE GOING UP THERE, SIR... I SUGGEST YOU TAKE THIS!

TIME--4:15 A.M...
YES... PERHAPS I'D BETTER!

TIME-- 4:16 A.M....
YOU'RE SURROUNDED, BATMAN! COME OUT WITH YOUR HANDS ON YOUR HEAD!
I'D RATHER YOU CAME IN! THE DOOR'S UNLOCKED...
GYM
WE GOT YOU COVERED!
THERE'S NO NEED FOR GANGBUSTERS STUFF, OFFICER!
YOU'RE AFTER A MURDERER... WELL, HE'S BEEN CAUGHT!-- I'LL EXPLAIN...
PRETEND THIS BARBELL IS A PISTOL...I PLACE IT IN THE HANDLE OF THIS PULL--
--NORMALLY THE ELASTIC PULL IS STRETCHED TO BUILD MUSCLES! BUT IN THIS INSTANCE, IT WAS STRETCHED FOR ANOTHER REASON--
IF I PULLED THE TRIGGER OF OUR IMAGINARY GUN, AND RELEASED IT--
ZING
SNAP
...THE ELASTIC WOULD SNAP IT BACK THROUGH THE WINDOW--
--AND INTO THE TRASH BARRELS BELOW!
HAVE SOMEONE LOOK IN THOSE BARRELS!
YESSIR!
I FOUND IT... A .38 SPECIAL!
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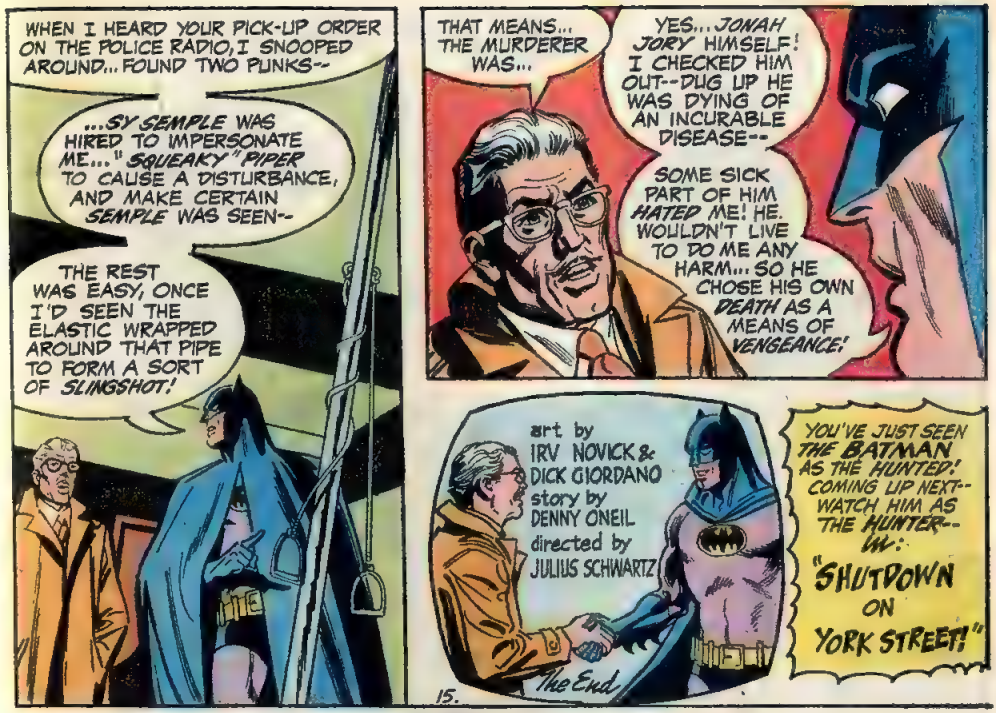
WHEN I HEARD YOUR PICK-UP ORDER ON THE POLICE RADIO, I SNOOPED AROUND... FOUND TWO PUNKS--
...SY SEMPLE WAS HIRED TO IMPERSONATE ME..." SQUEAKY" PIPER TO CAUSE A DISTURBANCE, AND MAKE CERTAIN SEMPLE WAS SEEN--
THE REST WAS EASY, ONCE I'D SEEN THE ELASTIC WRAPPED AROUND THAT PIPE TO FORM A SORT OF SLINGSHOT!
THAT MEANS... THE MURDERER WAS...
YES... JONAH JORY HIMSELF! I CHECKED HIM OUT--DUG UP HE WAS DYING OF AN INCURABLE DISEASE--
SOME SICK PART OF HIM HATED ME! HE WOULDN'T LIVE TO DO ME ANY HARM... SO HE CHOSE HIS OWN DEATH AS A MEANS OF VENGEANCE!
art by IRV NOVICK & DICK GIORDANO
story by DENNY O'NEIL
directed by JULIUS SCHWARTZ
The End
YOU'VE JUST SEEN THE BATMAN AS THE HUNTED! COMING UP NEXT-- WATCH HIM AS THE HUNTER-- IN: "SHUTDOWN ON YORK STREET!"
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LETTERS TO THE BATCAVE

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Dear Editor:

Other than electing Neal Adams *President,* I can't think of any other award to bestow on him for his masterful *Batman* cover on issue #221. Inside, Irv and Dick (if I may be so bold) were certainly not sleeping on the job either.

Somehow Frank Robbins can take a mishmash of World War II army-movie plots and weave them into an entertaining story, which he certainly did in "A Bat-Death for Batman." Ilga was handled well, as was Otto. *Batman's* plight, his subsequent escape, his fight with Otto, and that chilling climax were all excellent. The scene showing Otto falling into the pit with the foaming-at-the-mouth lamb has to be one of the most surrealistically frightening panels ever done in a comic.

—DENNIS PALUMBO, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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Dear Editor:

I think if you had expanded "Hot Time In Gotham Town Tonight" into the entire issue of *Batman* #221, it could have ranked near classic. It had the mystery that has been lacking in *Batman* for a long time. It presented the *Caped Crusader* as I think he should be, as he was originally intended to be—a strange, forbidding, almost supernatural creature of the night, who springs as if from the very air itself to thwart the criminal or, as in this case, evil of a more intangible nature. The full-page picture on page 3 exemplifies the *true Batman*—a man whose dedication to the downfall of crime, poverty, injustice, and every element of human suffering transcends all boundaries—those of a nation, of personal injury, of the color of a man's skin.

—JOHN OSTAPKOVICH, Huntington Valley, Pa.

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Dear Editor:

"A Bat-Death for Batman," although certainly well-written, though it seemed to contain all the elements necessary for an effective story, left me with the uncertain feeling that something was wrong, but I could not explain why. The elements that made up the story would seem to guarantee an effective *Batman* tale; but why I was left feeling flat, I could not immediately see. Certainly the Novick-Giordano artwork was good enough to carry any story. The dialogue was generally down-to-earth, and the characters plausible. The setting was in a foreign country, ideal for a feeling of awaiting mystery, and the story was designed around the character of the *Batman.*

I wonder even now that the story was not a classic. But the reason it failed came to me in a series of jarring flashes while I was mulling over both stories! "Bat-Death" failed because, simple though it was, it was still too involved!

I was surprised to find that "Hot Time in Gotham Town Tonight"—though a far simpler story than "Bat-Death"—worked much better, until I saw why: it was its very simplicity that made the story work. Here we were given two simple things that *Batman* did—no details, no explanations—in fact, *Batman* did not say a word in the entire story—but nonetheless *Batman* came across infinitely more powerfully than in the first story. Because the first story, though it was thankfully much simpler than many of your stories lately, was still about a plot more than about the *Batman.* That is, the plot was as much on display, was important to the success of the story, as the character of *Batman;* not so in "Hot Time."

—EDWARD BRODERICK, Arlington Hts., Ill.

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- ☐ b. Newsstand
- ☐ c. Gift shop—Stationery Store
- ☐ d. Drugstore
- ☐ e. From a friend (or enemy)
- ☐ f. Other _____ fill in

(Q2) Did your parents buy it for you or did you buy it yourself? Check one.

- ☐ a. I bought it
- ☐ b. Mother or father bought it
- ☐ c. Other _____ fill in

(Q3) How many comics do you buy a month? (please circle one)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 more

(Q4) What did you do with your free time last week? **How many hours?**

- ☐ watch tv _____
- ☐ read a magazine _____
- ☐ listen to records _____
- ☐ read a book _____
- ☐ go to a movie _____
- ☐ read a comic mag _____
- ☐ play sports _____
- ☐ my hobby is _____ fill in

(Q5) How interested are you in reading about: For each subject check one.

	1. I'm very interested	2. Fairly Interested	3. I am not Interested
a. Pollution	☐	☐	☐
b. Black People	☐	☐	☐
c. Space Flights	☐	☐	☐
d. National Problems	☐	☐	☐
e. City Problems	☐	☐	☐
f. Sports which one	☐	☐	☐
g. Hobbies	☐	☐	☐
h. Romance	☐	☐	☐
i. Astrology	☐	☐	☐

(Q6) What is your favorite kind of comic mag? Check only one.

- ☐ Superhero type
- ☐ Romance type
- ☐ War type
- ☐ Mystery type
- ☐ Humor type

(Q7) How would you like to get your comics? Check one.

- ☐ a. In an assorted pack by mail each month from us at a special price.
- ☐ b. Same way I get them now.

(Q8) What are your two favorites at breakfast? Check only two (2)

- ☐ a. hot cereal
- ☐ b. breakfast drink
- ☐ c. cold cereal
- ☐ d. other _____ fill in

(Q9) What two kinds of records do you like most? Check only two (2)

- ☐ a. rock
- ☐ b. country music
- ☐ c. Bubble gum music
- ☐ d. folk
- ☐ e. soul

(Q10) When do you like to watch TV most? Check only one.

- ☐ a. After school
- ☐ b. Saturday morning
- ☐ c. Sunday
- ☐ d. Night time

(Q11) What TV programs do you like to watch best? Check one.

- ☐ a. cartoons
- ☐ b. adventure shows
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(Q12) My favorite TV show is

_____

(Q13) Have comics ever helped you in school?

☐ Yes
☐ No

(Q14) What do you think of the ads in the comic mags? Check one.

☐ a. I like to read them most of the time
☐ b. I don't read them

(Q15) Do you buy things advertised in comics?

☐ Yes
☐ No

(Q16) Comics have helped me in: check one.

☐ a. english and spelling
☐ b. reading
☐ c. science
☐ d. history or current events

(Q17) What kinds of sports equipment do you own?

☐ baseball
☐ football
☐ camping
☐ basketball
☐ hunting
☐ ice skating
☐ fishing
☐ bicycling

Q(18) I am ____ years old.

Q(19) I am a boy ☐ girl ☐

(Q20) How much spending money do you have each week?
$ _____

(Q21) How much did you spend last week on...

a. records $_____ e. comics $_____
b. magazines $_____ f. candy $_____
c. movies $_____ g. toys $_____
d. sports $_____ h. hobbies $_____

(Q22) I think the best name for a new comic book character is...

_____ fill in

Q(23) I think a great name for a new comic is...

_____ fill in

Q(24) My name is

_____
first last

(Q25) My address is

street _____

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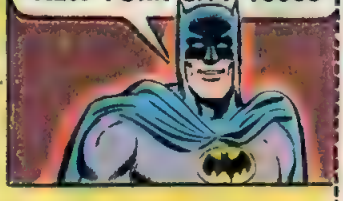
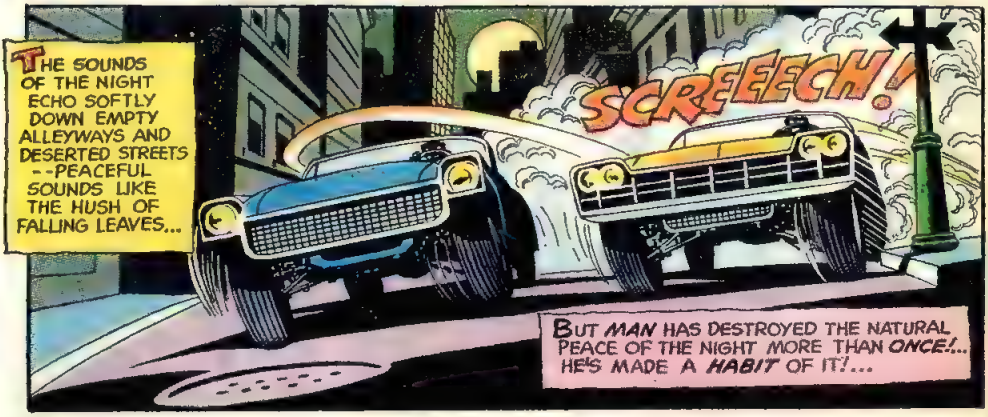


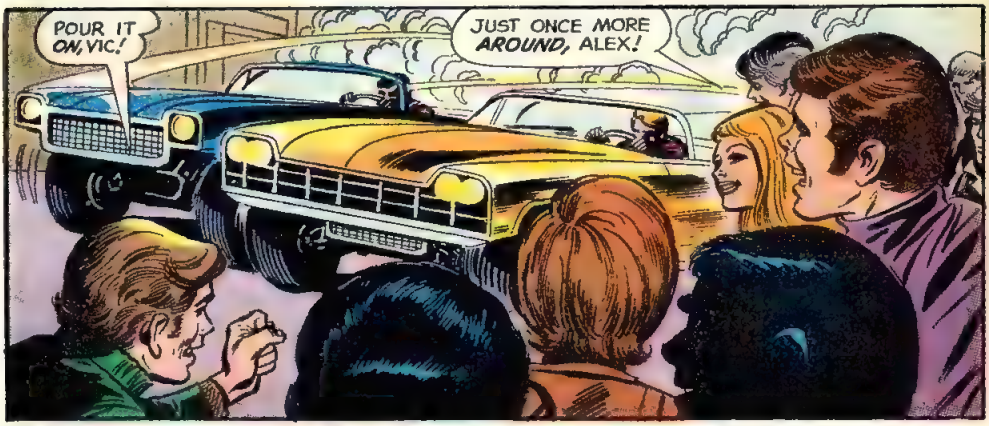
BATMAN

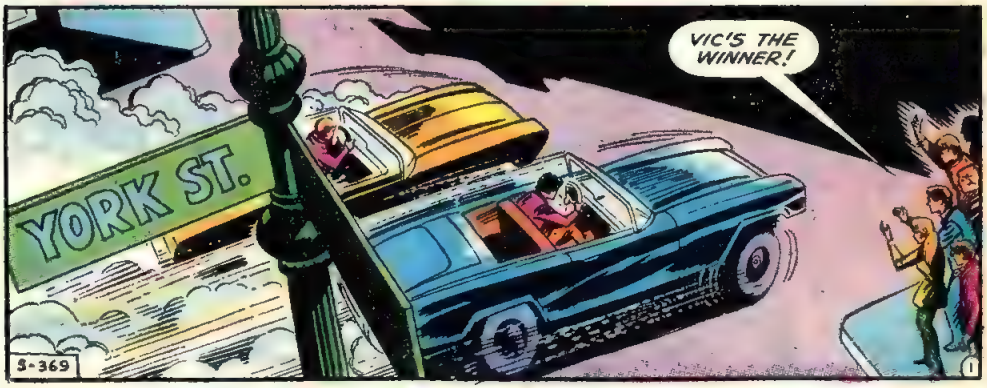
IN "SHUTDOWN ON YORK STREET!"

STORY: MIKE FRIEDRICH

ART: IRV NOVICK & MIKE ESPOSITO


THE SOUNDS OF THE NIGHT ECHO SOFTLY DOWN EMPTY ALLEYWAYS AND DESERTED STREETS --PEACEFUL SOUNDS LIKE THE HUSH OF FALLING LEAVES...
SCREEECH!
BUT MAN HAS DESTROYED THE NATURAL PEACE OF THE NIGHT MORE THAN ONCE!.. HE'S MADE A HABIT OF IT!...





FIFTH TIME IN A ROW VIC'S SHUT ME DOWN!
JACK! CHECK OUT MY MACHINE--SEE IF THAT FLAP-MOUTH TAMPERED WITH IT!
NOW, YOU LI'L TWERP! --MOVE!
SURE...ALEX--SURE...
GEE...WHATTA BUM LOSER!
WHEN YOU GONNA LEARN, BABY-BOY, NOT TO TAKE ON THE PROS? STICK TO SLOT-CAR RACING--
--ONLY PLACE YOU'RE GONNA WIN!
LISTEN, BAD BREATH--GET YOUR HANDS OFF MY GIRL!
CHRIS--YOUR GIRL? HA! DIDN'T YOU KNOW--TO VICTOR BELONGS THE SPOILS!
WHY, YOU--! WE'LL SEE HOW MUCH YOU BLAB AFTER A PAIR OF WIDE TREADS RUNS OVER YOUR STINKIN' BOD! ANYBODY TAKES CHRIS AWAY FROM ME-- I'LL KILL HIM!
WHY DOES CHRIS TAKE IT, WHEN SHE COULD HAVE SO MUCH BETTER...?
YOU THREATENING ME, SONNY BOY? YOUR REPORTER-FATHER WOULD CALL THAT A NO-NO!
YOU'LL PICK ON ANYTHING TO SPOUT YOUR MOUTH OFF--EVEN MY OLD MAN! WELL, YOU'VE DONE IT ONCE TOO OFTEN!
OUTTA MY WAY, SHORTY! DID VIC MESS WITH IT?
N-NO! EVERYTHING'S FINE!
I'M GONNA WIPE THAT SMIRK OFF VIC'S FACE! I'LL SCARE HIM TO DEATH!
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ALEX IS CRAZY IF HE THINKS I'D CHICKEN AND RUN-- JUST 'CAUSE HE'S DRIVIN' AT ME! NAH-- ALEX WOULDN'T RUN OVER AN ANT--
--HE DOESN'T HAVE THE... GUTS...?!
NO! NO! STOP!!
CHRIS--DON'T! THEY DESERVE EACH OTHER!
JACK DONALDSON-- WHAT ARE YOU SAYING? THEY'LL KILL--
KRRUUNNSH
...MY HEAD... OH MY GOD...
WH-WHY ARE YOU LOOKING AT ME LIKE THAT? I MEANT TO STOP---
D-DON'T YOU BELIEVE ME? I TRIED TO STOP--HONEST!
STOP STARING AT ME AS IF I'M A-- MURDERER!
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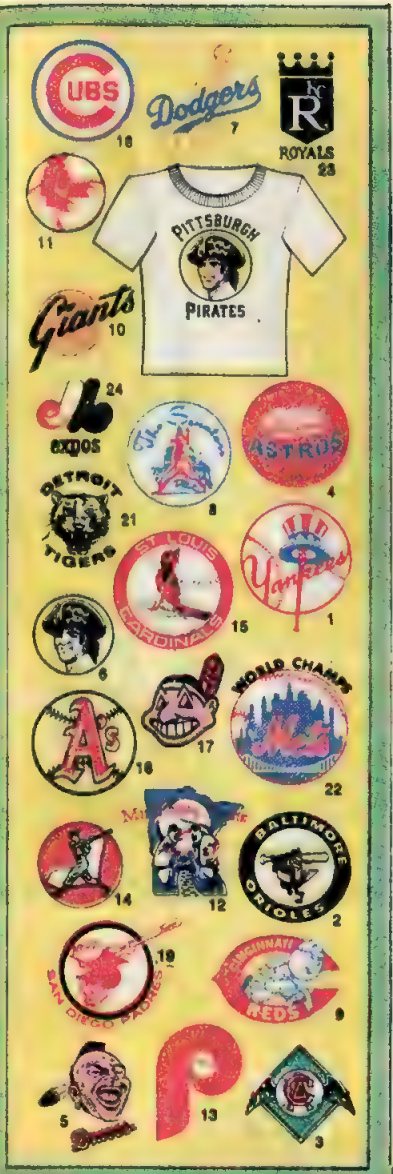

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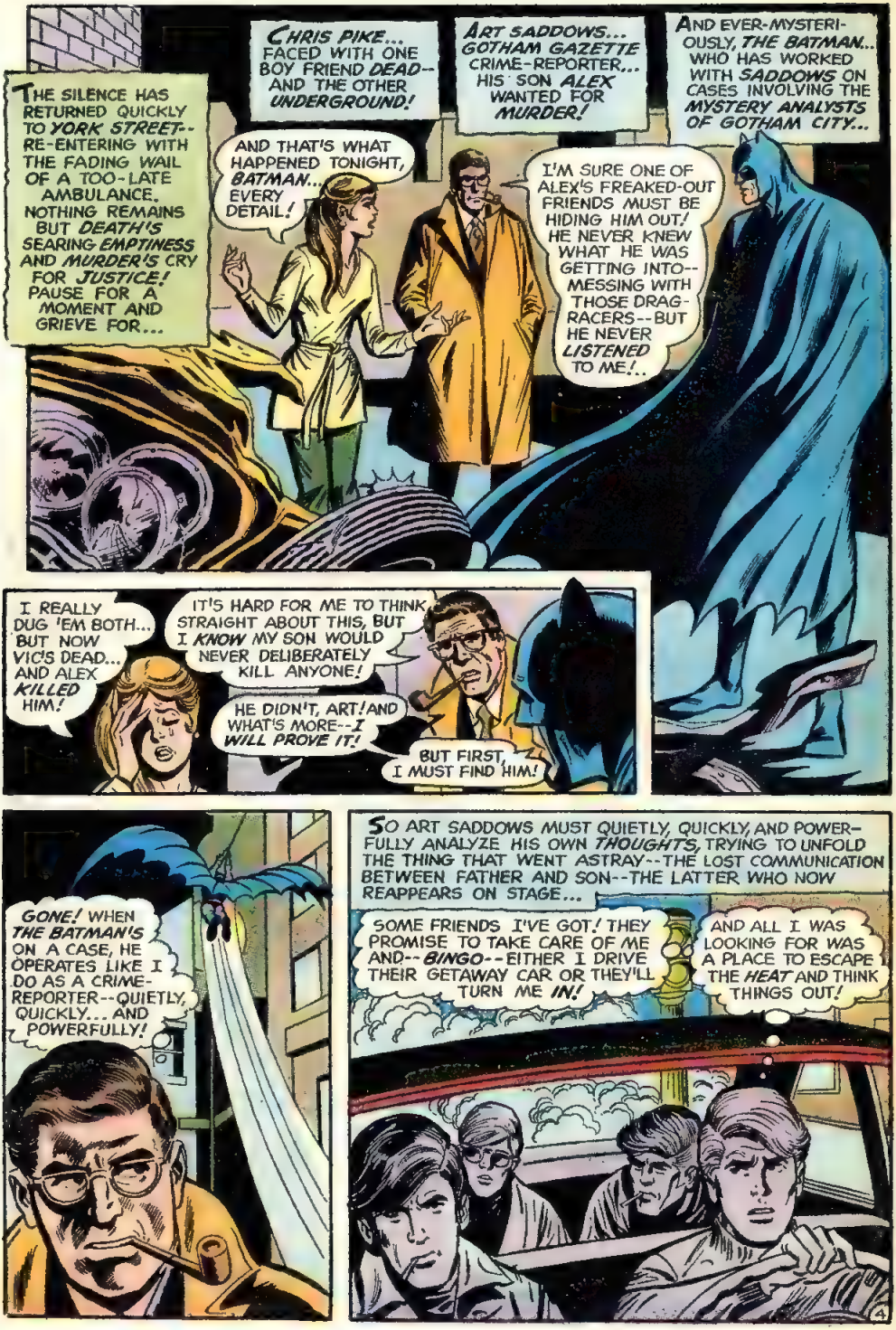
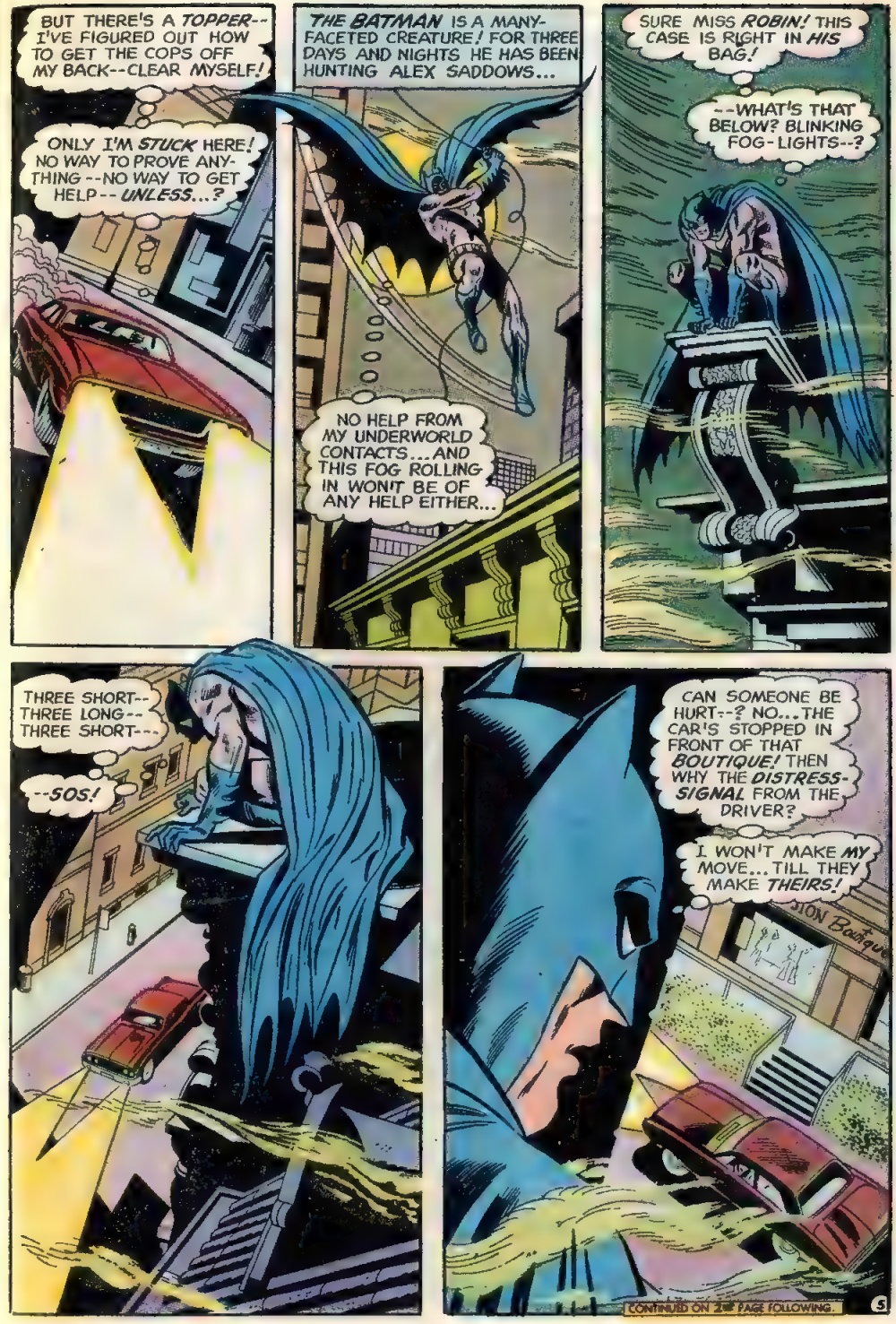

THE SILENCE HAS RETURNED QUICKLY TO YORK STREET--RE-ENTERING WITH THE FADING WAIL OF A TOO-LATE AMBULANCE. NOTHING REMAINS BUT DEATH'S SEARING EMPTINESS AND MURDER'S CRY FOR JUSTICE! PAUSE FOR A MOMENT AND GRIEVE FOR...
CHRIS PIKE... FACED WITH ONE BOY FRIEND DEAD--AND THE OTHER UNDERGROUND!
ART SADDOWS... GOTHAM GAZETTE CRIME-REPORTER... HIS SON ALEX WANTED FOR MURDER!
AND EVER-MYSTERIOUSLY, THE BATMAN... WHO HAS WORKED WITH SADDOWS ON CASES INVOLVING THE MYSTERY ANALYSTS OF GOTHAM CITY...
AND THAT'S WHAT HAPPENED TONIGHT, BATMAN... EVERY DETAIL!
I'M SURE ONE OF ALEX'S FREAKED-OUT FRIENDS MUST BE HIDING HIM OUT! HE NEVER KNEW WHAT HE WAS GETTING INTO--MESSING WITH THOSE DRAG-RACERS--BUT HE NEVER LISTENED TO ME!..
I REALLY DUG 'EM BOTH... BUT NOW VIC'S DEAD... AND ALEX KILLED HIM!
IT'S HARD FOR ME TO THINK STRAIGHT ABOUT THIS, BUT I KNOW MY SON WOULD NEVER DELIBERATELY KILL ANYONE!
HE DIDN'T, ART! AND WHAT'S MORE--I WILL PROVE IT!
BUT FIRST, I MUST FIND HIM!
GONE! WHEN THE BATMAN'S ON A CASE, HE OPERATES LIKE I DO AS A CRIME-REPORTER--QUIETLY, QUICKLY... AND POWERFULLY!
SO ART SADDOWS MUST QUIETLY, QUICKLY, AND POWERFULLY ANALYZE HIS OWN THOUGHTS, TRYING TO UNFOLD THE THING THAT WENT ASTRAY--THE LOST COMMUNICATION BETWEEN FATHER AND SON--THE LATTER WHO NOW REAPPEARS ON STAGE...
SOME FRIENDS I'VE GOT! THEY PROMISE TO TAKE CARE OF ME AND--BINGO--EITHER I DRIVE THEIR GETAWAY CAR OR THEY'LL TURN ME IN!
AND ALL I WAS LOOKING FOR WAS A PLACE TO ESCAPE THE HEAT AND THINK THINGS OUT!


BUT THERE'S A TOPPER--I'VE FIGURED OUT HOW TO GET THE COPS OFF MY BACK--CLEAR MYSELF!
ONLY I'M STUCK HERE! NO WAY TO PROVE ANYTHING--NO WAY TO GET HELP--UNLESS...?
THE BATMAN IS A MANY-FACETED CREATURE! FOR THREE DAYS AND NIGHTS HE HAS BEEN HUNTING ALEX SADDOWS...
NO HELP FROM MY UNDERWORLD CONTACTS...AND THIS FOG ROLLING IN WON'T BE OF ANY HELP EITHER...
SURE MISS ROBIN! THIS CASE IS RIGHT IN HIS BAG!
--WHAT'S THAT BELOW? BLINKING FOG-LIGHTS--?
THREE SHORT--THREE LONG--THREE SHORT---
--SOS!
CAN SOMEONE BE HURT--? NO...THE CAR'S STOPPED IN FRONT OF THAT BOUTIQUE! THEN WHY THE DISTRESS-SIGNAL FROM THE DRIVER?
I WON'T MAKE MY MOVE...TILL THEY MAKE THEIRS!
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THERE GOES MY LAST CHANCE! NOW I'M REALLY IN IT!
CHECK THE PRICE-TAGS FIRST-- PICK OUT ONLY THE MOST EXPENSIVE GOWNS! THE MOB WANTS THEIR LADIES TO LOOK GOOD FOR THEIR BASH!
" BASH "-- WHICH IN MY BOOK MEANS--
--A "CRUSHING BLOW"!
TH-THE BAT--AAAHH!
P-POPPED UP OUTTA NOWHERE!
I'M NOT MESSIN' AROUND WITH THAT SPOOKED-OUT BATMAN!
HOPE THIS HOLDS HIM LONG ENOUGH FOR ME TO SPLIT...!
HUH? THE BOSS RACIN' OUT EMPTY-HANDED--?!

NO WONDER! THE DEVIL'S AT HIS HEELS!
THE BATMAN! MY LONG-SHOT SOS WORKED!
I'LL BLAST HIM--
HERE'S MY CHANCE TO BREAK LOOSE... AND DO THE BATMAN A GOOD TURN!
I'LL MAKE OUT BETTER HANDLING THIS ON MY OWN!
THAT WAS ALEX SADDOWS AT THE WHEEL! HE MUST'VE BEEN THE ONE TO SIGNAL! BUT WHY'D HE ASK FOR HELP-- THEN LEAVE WITHOUT ME?
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POLICE'LL BE HERE IN A MOMENT TO PICK UP THESE HOODS...
ALEX MUST BE ON TO SOMETHING --OTHERWISE HE WOULDN'T HAVE SIGNALED--THEN RACED OFF! BUT WHERE--?
OF COURSE! THE ANSWER WAS RIGHT IN FRONT OF ME! HIS FATHER'S CRIME-ANALYSIS WORK MUST HAVE RUBBED OFF ON ALEX!
THERE HE IS! ALEX CAME HERE TO NAB VIC'S REAL KILLER!
COME BACK HERE, YOU. LI'L--
I'LL TAKE OVER THIS CASE, NOW....!
LET ME AT HIM! I'LL KILL--
EASY ON THE TEMPER--AND THE THREAT--SON! THEY'VE GOT YOU INTO ENOUGH TROUBLE ALREADY!
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SOON, AT POLICE HEADQUARTERS...
WE JUST GOT YOUR CALL--WHAT'S HAPPENED?
YOU TELL 'EM, BATMAN--YOU'RE THE PRO HERE!
THE CLUE WAS EVIDENT FROM THE BEGINNING--IT WAS YOUR DRESS, CHRIS!
YOU SAID IT'D BEEN SPOTLESS WHEN YOU WENT TO THE DRAG-RACE--BUT WHEN I SAW YOU, IT HAD BRAKE FLUID SMEARED ON IT--WHICH'D ONLY HAVE COME FROM ONE PERSON...
JACK DONALDSON--WHO'D LET THE BRAKE FLUID OUT OF ALEX'S CAR--SO IT COULDN'T STOP! THE POLICE INVESTIGATORS WOULDN'T NOTICE A PUDDLE OF FLUID AMONG ALL THE GREASE THE DRAG-RACERS HAD ON THE GROUND!
OF COURSE! I SHOULD HAVE BEEN ABLE TO DEDUCE THAT MYSELF!
SNAP!
BUT WHY, JACK? THEY WERE TWO OF THE GREATEST GUYS I KNOW!
THAT WAS JUST IT--YOU WERE ALWAYS NOTICING THEM AND IGNORING ME! GUESS I WASN'T THINKING VERY MUCH!
I DON'T THINK ANY OF US WERE--FOR A LONG TIME!
ALEX, I'M SURE YOUR MANSLAUGHTER TRIAL WILL BE FAIR--AND WHATEVER THE OUTCOME, WE HAVE A LOT OF MAKING UP TO DO!
YOU BETTER BELIEVE IT, DAD!
THE END
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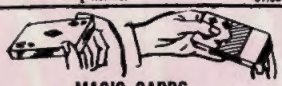

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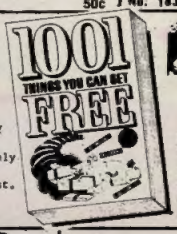

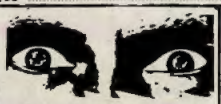

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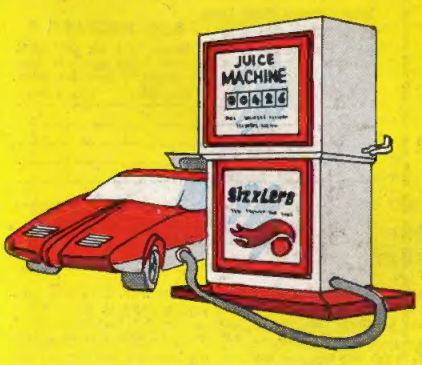

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